

# Crawford County Avalanche

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## Four Die, One Injured Critically In US-27 Head-on Collision South of Grayling

### ANNUAL GRAYLING DISTRICT SCHOOL MEETING, JULY 12

The annual meeting of the Grayling District School will be held at the Grayling High School on Monday, July 12. It has been announced by School Board Secretary Roy O. Milnes.

Among other business will be the election of two trustees as the terms of Board President Eugene Kessler and Trustee Eugene Papendick are expiring. Anyone wishing to run for the positions must file nominating petitions with Secretary Milnes on or before July 5. The petitions may be handed or mailed to the secretary.

As of noon Tuesday, no person had filed a nominating petition to run for the Board, Secretary Milnes stated.

### Lovells Plans Big Celebration

Lovells, Crawford County's community on the North Branch of the Ausable, is going to celebrate the Fourth of July, but it will be held on Saturday, July 3. Just about every type of entertainment known in the north woods is included in the day-long affair being arranged by the Lovells Women's Club, the Cheerful Givers.

There will be a baked goods sale and a bazaar, and a "jumbo supper" in the Community Hall. In the afternoon the Lovells Bowmen will stage an archery shoot with visiting archers from Gaylord, Lewiston and Grayling expected.

A games party and a dance will be held in the evening, and at 10 p. m. a fireworks display will give Ausable trout something to look at.

Proceeds will be used to purchase a new heating system for the ladies Club House.

### 150 AT FATHER AND SON BREAKFAST

One hundred and fifty men and boys received Holy Communion in a body at the 8:30 a. m. mass at St. Mary's Church last Sunday. The mass was celebrated by Fr. J. Wm. Griffith, a major in the U. S. Air Force. The sermon was delivered by Fr. John Breitenstein.

After mass the group enjoyed a breakfast served by the ladies of the Altar Society. It was a very delicious meal of ham and eggs, sweet rolls and juice and there was plenty of everything.

Following breakfast, Bob LaMonte acted as M. C. in place of Dr. L. F. Hayes who was called away. Bob called on Tommy Kessler to welcome the dads and in turn Jerome Kessler welcomed the sons. He then called on Fr. Griffith and Fr. Breitenstein to say a few words.

The ladies did a wonderful job of cooking and serving the breakfast. The Men's Club wishes to thank them all and especially Mrs. Bud Hunter who acted as chairman.

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## New Grayling High Addition Construction Now Underway

Actual construction on the new gymnasium for Grayling High School got underway last Wednesday with the Koenig Construction Company of Traverse City doing the building.

They expect to have the building closed in and the roof on before cold weather sets in late this fall. The construction firm has been promised a delivery of steel needed in the building by July 15, which should advance the original schedule. Thus the first set completion date of June 1, 1955 may be somewhat advanced.

## Wet, Slippery Pavements Cause Four Other Crashes Monday

Four persons are dead and one at Grayling Mercy Hospital in critical condition as the result of a two-car collision south of Grayling on US-27 on Monday.

Those dead include: James Richard Smith, 20, of Allan Park, died instantly in accident.

Mrs. Margaret Forjette, 63, Munising, died on admittance to hospital.

Robert Schuelke, 28, of Detroit, died at hospital.

Lois Jean Van Landshoot, 14, Munising, died at hospital.

Injured critically was Leonard Burke, 49, of Detroit.

A car being driven north by Schuelke while attempting to pass another car about 4 miles south of Grayling on US-27, skidded head-on into a car being driven south by Burke, according to Sheriff John A. Papendick who investigated the crash. He was assisted in the investigation and traffic control by Deputy Sheriff Rolla Felling and Grayling Police Chief Harold Hatfield Jr. and Officer Arthur Clough Jr.

A lone witness of the accident told Sheriff Papendick that the Schuelke vehicle was traveling at a very high rate of speed. Smith was riding in the Schuelke car. The other three persons were in the south bound vehicle. The south bound vehicle.

The bodies of Smith and Schuelke have been returned to Detroit for services while the bodies of Mrs. Forjette and Miss Van Landshoot have been returned to Munising.

Preceding the fatal crash, three other accidents occurred along same stretch of pavement Sheriff Papendick reported. About noon a car left the road and rolled over about two miles south of Grayling and a little later a truck left the road and rolled over about five miles south of town. Shortly thereafter two cars side-swiped about 4 and one-half miles south. Following the fatal two-car collision another car left the road about two miles south of Grayling, went into the ditch and hit a tree.

Last Saturday morning, a National Guard "jeep" driven by Richard Sanders, 31, of Detroit, turned over about 5 miles south of Grayling. In this accident and four of those occurring Monday, there was no personal injury.

Sheriff Papendick issued again a warning to those traveling on US-27 south of Grayling "to take it easy" on the blacktop when it is wet. "With heavy summer traffic combining with wet weather, the number of accidents occurring south of Grayling on US-27 over the hills, always increases," the sheriff said.

## No Local Races In Primary

The Primary Election on Tuesday, August 3 will see no races for office in Crawford County as only the present incumbents filed to stand for re-election. Six Republicans and one Democrat now holding county offices filed nominating petitions to run for re-election.

Lawrence Hunter, present Registrar of Deeds is the lone County official to file for re-election on the Democratic ticket while Prosecuting Attorney Charles E. Moore, Sheriff John A. Papendick, Treasurer Archie Howe, Clerk Leo Lovely and Coroners Stanley A. Stealy and Alfred J. Kessler have all filed to run for re-election on the Republican ticket. The only other County officer who did not file is Judge of Probate Robert F. Neafie, whose present term still has two years to go before another election will be held for the office.

The Primary will, however, provide many races on the State ticket for Crawford County voters.

## WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

June 23 — L. N. L. social party at Mrs. Archie Kennedys.

June 22 — Regular meeting St. Mary's Altar Society, St. Mary's Hall. Potluck supper. 6:30 p. m.

June 23 — Monday 8:00 P. M. card tournament at Golf Club.

July 6 — Past President's Parley at home of Mrs. Wilbur Winslow, 8:00 P. M.

Mrs. A. E. Michelson and grand-son John of Detroit are here to spend the summer at her cottage at Lake Margrethe.

## Harry Higgins Dies At Mercy Hospital

Harry Higgins, 68, of Frederic passed away at the Grayling Mercy Hospital on Monday evening. Mr. Higgins was brought to the hospital a week ago Monday after he had been found in his home by Bert Damouth suffering from a stroke.

The deceased was born in Frederic on April 17, 1886 to Ellen and John J. Higgins and had lived there all of his life. He is survived by a cousin, Mrs. Caroline White of Bay City and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Grace Higgins of Lansing.

Services were to be held at St. Mary's Church in Grayling at 10 a. m. this Thursday morning with Father John A. Breitenstein officiating. Interment was to be in Frederic's Oakwood Cemetery.

## Consumers Defeat Grayling, 5-0

Grayling lost to Consumers Power, 5 to 0 Sunday at Traverse City in the best played game of the year. The nine inning game was completed in one hour and 45 minutes.

Bob Gildner did the hurling for Grayling with Derek McEvers behind the plate. Gildner allowed 5 runs, 8 hits, walked 2, hit 1 batter and struck out none. He was charged with the loss, his first of the season. It marks the fourth straight loss for Grayling this season.

Groslau was on the mound for Consumers and pitched a shut out, 2 hitter. He also racked up 14 strike outs while issuing 2 walks. Grayling's hits were made by Gildner and Ed Owens, both singles.

Grayling is to meet Pleasant Valley in a Chain of Lakes League game next Sunday, June 27, at the City Park Field. The local boys are planning on posting their first victory of the season with this game.

On Monday, July 5 at the City Park Field, Grayling will meet the Detroit Orioles in what promises to be a stellar attraction. The Grayling team hopes for a big turnout for this game which is slated to get underway at 2:30 p. m.

## Cranbrook Wedding Of Interest Here

Seven attendants floated around the gardens at the reception for the newlywed Mr. and Mrs. Walter James Truettner, Jr. on Saturday evening. The bride, looking like part of the blooms in gowns of leaf-green sequin silk, accented by bouquets of deep purple stock. The bridegroom is the grandson of Walter F. Truettner of this city.

Nancy Tyndale Wilson and Mr. Truettner had been married at 3:30 o'clock in Christ Church, Cranbrook. The reception was held at her parents' home.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson, of Birmingham, was gown in chintilly lace and satin. The bouffant skirt of matching lace and silk fell into a short train.

Mrs. L. Michael Kuhn came from Plainfield, N. J., to be her former Smith College classmate's maid of honor.

The bridesmaids were Mrs. Remsen B. Henry, Anne Purdy, Marilyn Moore, Charlotte Wiley, Mary Drake and Mary Hopkins.

Ken Wilson was best man for the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter James Truettner, Cumberland, Wyo.

The guests were seated by William H. Truettner, Clayton Calvin Purdy, Jr., Thomas D. Purdy, George F. Hartman, Jr., John D. Mabie and Donald S. Champman.

After a wedding trip to Wisconsin the newlyweds will live in Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Esbern Olson Jr. of Racine, Wis., arrived Sunday and spent several days here visiting his parents and brother, Nels and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigwald Hanson of Shepherd were at their cottage at Lake Margrethe, for several days.

## Michigan Mirror

Non-Partisan News Letter

Michigan is a key state this year in the nation's political picture.

Campaigns for the fall election will be watched with considerable interest by the country's political dopesters in hope they can predict national trends from what happens in the Wolverine state.

Much is at stake. If Michigan stays in the Republican camp or goes Democratic it will have great national significance. Huge sums of money will be spent by both parties. More delicate maneuvering will be planned; harder fighting can be expected.

Big danger for both sides is a possible split in party ranks. Republicans are sure that controversy between GOP candidates in previous primaries produced wounds too deep to heal by general election time. They attribute Williams' victories in past campaigns to such intra-party fights.

They are taking great pains this year that candidates campaign against the Democrats in the primary—not each other.

While GOP leaders hold their breaths hoping that their candidates will stick to what they call an "understanding" not to fight among themselves, Democrat leaders are holding their heads in fear that James Hoffa will lead a rebellion against the Williams leadership.

Hoffa, Detroit AFL labor leader who is described as being unhappy with what he considers CIO domination of the Democratic party, has taken some positive steps that worry the Williams administration more than a little.

The challenge to leadership of the Williams faction leaves the governor's group wondering what manner of "enemy" they have within their ranks—and how far will go to have his way. Williams is reported to feel that the appearance of George S. Fitzgerald, former national committeeman and affiliate of Hoffa, is an attempt by the teamster leader to "establish a crown prince of his own" in what might be a Democratic year.

Fitzgerald filed petitions as Democratic candidate for Lt. Governor.

Republicans will make what happy use they can of this discord. They can be expected to remind voters of the "AFL-CIO" fight for control of the Democratic party.

John Feikens, GOP State Central Committee chairman, has already announced that he recalls Fitzgerald's remarks after a Democratic county convention—he had "just seen socialism, using Communism's methods, take over Michigan Democratic party." This is an old story, says Feikens. It all shows that hard feeling has existed for a long time.

## Our Weather

(Courtesy Fish Hatchery)

June	High	Low
15	84	50
16	88	59
17	93	59
18	93	64
19	82	65
20	81	59
21	79	50

(Courtesy Geo. Schable)

June	Rain
15	1.3
16	2.7
17	1.27
18	0
19	1.80
20	.30
21	.36

## Grayling Kiwanis Dedicates State Accepts New Chapel

Photo by Len Allison

Pictured above is the new non-denominational chapel which was dedicated Monday evening in services arranged by the Kiwanis Club of Grayling and was accepted by the State of Michigan through the Conservation Department. The chapel located in the Hartwick Pines State Park will be kept unlocked in order that persons of all faiths and denominations may stop in for a few moments of meditation and prayer.

The above prayer written by the anonymous donor of the chapel at Hartwick Pines State Park is indicative of the feeling that seemed to be in the air at the dedication of the rustic building on Monday evening under the auspices of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling.

A bronze tablet placed at the front of the chapel, which reads "Chapel In The Pines. Erected 1953 in honor of Donald A. Johnston, a founder and first President of Kiwanis", clearly showed why the Kiwanis Club of Grayling was chosen by the donor to initiate the dedication of the non-denominational chapel and to turn the building over to the State of Michigan through the Parks Division of the Conservation Department.

The Monday night program began with a 6:15 p. m. picnic dinner for the distinguished guests, Kiwanis members and their wives. The potluck picnic was provided by the club members. Rev. John Enselman who helped peel logs for the chapel was called upon by Club President William Joseph for a prayer preceding the buffet-served meal which consisted of salads, hot dishes, relishes, rolls and butter and coffee and cake.

Following the meal the group moved to the simple but beautiful rustic chapel deep in the park amongst the huge virgin white oak pine trees where the dedication program and actual gift of the chapel to the State was held.

The program, in charge of Club president William Joseph, began with an invocation by Pastor Murrey Lowry of the Seventh Adventist Church, Cecil Borton, Governor of the Michigan District of Kiwanis then spoke followed by Donald A. Johnston of Detroit in whose honor the chapel was dedicated. Mr. Johnston was one of the founders of Kiwanis and was the first club president.

Don K. Githro, immediate past president of the Grayling club then sang a solo, "Trees." Rev. R. C. Puffer then recited the prayer which appeared at the top of this article and which is placed inside of the chapel under the large cross-shaped window. The chapel from Mr. Johnston and was then led those gathered at the dedication in singing the famous old hymn, "Holy, Holy Holy." Gerald Eldy, Director of the Michigan Department of Conservation, then accepted the keys of the chapel from Mr. Johnston and spoke briefly in accepting the chapel for the Parks Division of the Michigan Conservation Department. Rev. Donald J. Clevens, then gave the Benediction ending the simple but impressive ceremony.

Those assembled numbering about 200 then filed through the chapel for an inspection. The Chapel in the Pines is situated about a five minute walk from the picnic area at Hartwick Pines on a small knoll, surrounded by virgin pine reaching high above the roof of the structure.

Constructed of logs, the Chapel has a steeply slanted roof and but one window. The window is located in the opposite end of the

## Guard Officers Plan Encampment

Administration problems and instructions for the National Guard's summer encampment were given to some 150 officers and enlisted men of the 46th Infantry Division and attached units at Camp Grayling Saturday and Sunday.

Division Commander Major General Gordon A. MacDonald of Detroit headed the pre-camp instruction period. Particular attention was given to the extensive army field forces testing programs which all units of the division will undergo during their two week encampment, August 7 to 21.

## Mercy Hospital News

Among those who are patients at Mercy Hospital are Sue Borchers, Mrs. Celia Granger, Holger Hanson, Florence Johnson, George Petricha, William Simpson of Grayling, Frank Russell, Louise Doyle, Mildred Russell and John Norman of Lewiston, Gladys Promenschenkel of Luzerne, William McMahon of Newberry, John Jeruzel of Gaylord and John Peacock of Harper Woods.

The following patients were dismissed from the hospital during the past week: Devere Benware, Sally Golnick, Alva Parker, Joan Papendick, Sandra Nelson, Violet Owens, Homer King Jr., Eleanor McIsaac, Lacey Stephan and Evelyn Scenson of Grayling, Esther Weaver and Thomas Kimball of Frederic, Lela Moore of Mio, Anna Brooks of Atlanta, Wealtha Braggs of Clear Lake, Eunice Miller of Marshall, Ralph Gasche of Clio, Emma Schwartz of Merritt, Leo Denna of Lewiston and Jesse Hoel of Taylor Center.

It's a son, Douglas Edward, born to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Parker of Grayling at Mercy Hospital on June 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McNamara are pleased to announce the arrival of a son on Monday, June 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tiker Golnick are happy over the arrival of a daughter at Mercy Hospital on June 16th. Julie Ann is named after her mother. The baby weighed 6 1/2 pounds. The William Golnick and the Fred Bishaws are the grand grandparents.

## My Neighbors

By Bill Paulson

"Well, well, if it isn't Mr. Puffer—bearly engaged in making firewood and tilling the soil!"

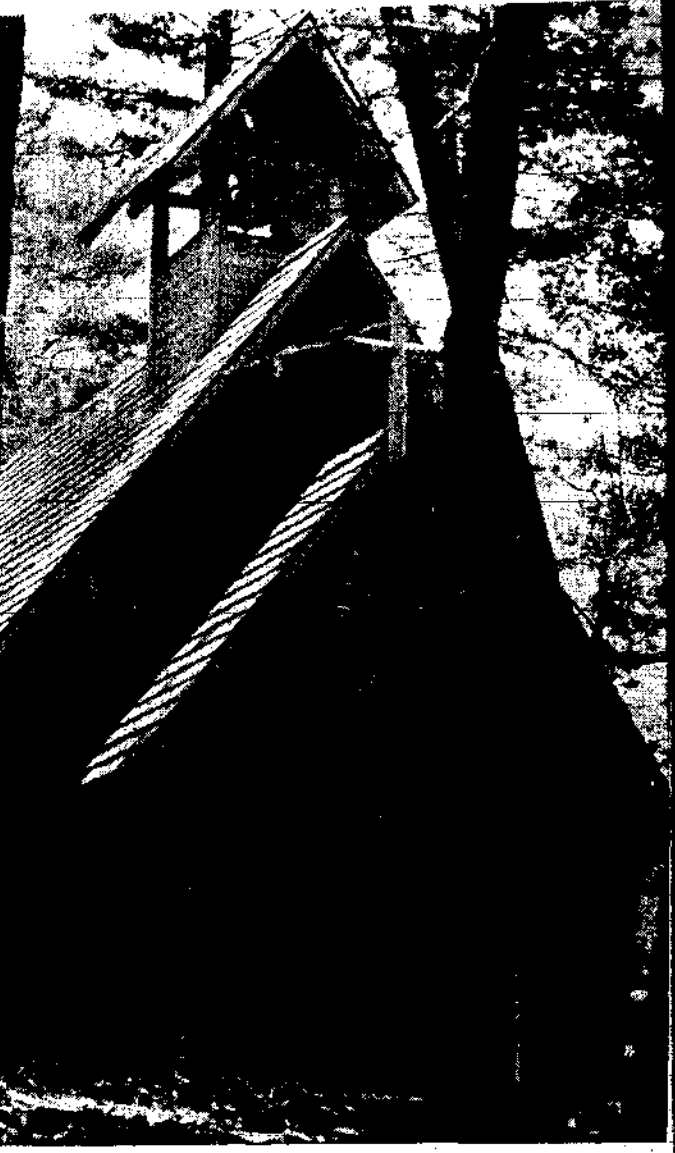


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## NATURE'S PRAYER

Our Heavenly Father, Creator of all that is nature, we humbly come to you in the midst of nature's splendor to thank you that as Americans we are free to worship as we please, work as we please, and move about as we please to enjoy all that is nature—its mountains, its hills, its valleys, its lakes, its streams, and the living things that dwell therein; we pray unto you that some day the world may be at peace and all men be free to enjoy nature's abundance. We ask you in the name of Lord Jesus Christ that we be guided to protect this priceless heritage which we, in America, are privileged to enjoy. Amen.

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## Scouts Attend Camp Neyai

The following 12 Boy Scouts from Grayling, Troop 77 Attended Camp Neyai from June 13 to 18: Larry and Tommy Crouch; Bill Heath, William Keway; Don and Mike Roberts; James Deyett; Bill Weaver; Curtis LaGrow and Dennis Hayes; Lawrence LaGrow and Curtis Marshall.

This camp is built and maintained by the Kiwanis Club of Midland. It is opened four weeks for all Boy Scouts of the Paul Bunyan Council covering seven counties. The camp was attended by 108 boys and 18 instructors.

At the Court of Honor Friday night the following boys became first class Scouts: Don Roberts, Dennis Hayes and Lawrence LaGrow. Second Class Scouts were Tommy Crouch, William Keway, Mike Roberts, James Deyett, Curtis Smith and Curtis Marshall.

Raymond Halsted is now attending Camp Neyai, June 20 to 26th. Several Scouts were unable to attend camp as planned.

## Pres. Eisenhower Receives Michigan Invitation to Make Mackinac Island - The Summer White House in 1955



"To the President of the United States . . . from the people of Michigan," read the handsomely bound blue and gold invitation presented to the President and Mamie to have the Summer White House at Mackinac Island next summer. President Eisenhower told the committee that he genuinely appreciated the invitation. While it was early yet to make a decision, he assured the delegation that he would arrange an immediate inspection of the island's facilities.

The first century of Great Lakes shipping because of the centennial of the operation of the internationally famous Soo Locks will be commemorated in 1955.

Members of Michigan's delegation to Washington included, left to right: R. J. Boyle, vice chairman, Michigan Soo Locks Centennial Celebration Commission, Grand Rapids; Carl G. Sedan, Sec-

retary, Michigan Soo Locks Centennial Celebration Commission, Detroit (behind Boyle); State Senators Leo G. Roy, Hancock; Don A. Gilbert, Saginaw; William A. Elkhorn, St. Ignace; State Representative Clayton T. Morrison, Pickford; former Governor Wilbur M. Brucker, Detroit; Congressman Victor A. Knox, Sault Ste. Marie; President Eisenhower; Congressman John D. Bennett, Marquette; U. S. Senators Homer Ferguson, Detroit; and Charles E. Potter, Cheboygan; Speaker, House of Representatives Wade Van Valkenberg, Kalamazoo; State Senators George N. Higgins, Ferndale; Haskell Nichols, Jackson; Harry F. Little, Lansing; State Representative Harold W. Hungerford, Lansing; Wilfred Doyle, Resident Commissioner, Mackinac Island Commission, Lansing.



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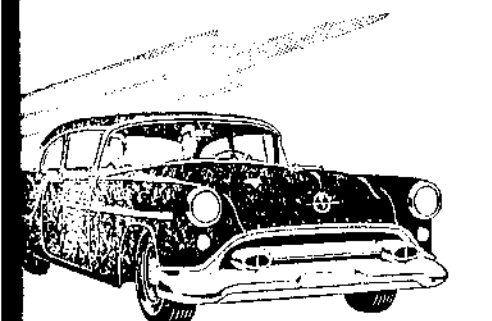
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## Bits O' Talk

All but one daughter of the  
 nine children of Mr. and Mrs.  
 Charles Tinker were home for  
 Father's Day, Sunday. And all  
 had their families with them and  
 a picnic dinner was held in the  
 yard at their home.

Mrs. Charles Green (Elaine  
 Tinker) is making plans to join  
 her husband in Frankfurt, Ger-  
 many, and expects to leave Gray-  
 ling on July 6th. First she will  
 fly from Traverse City to New  
 York, where she will board a  
 plane for Germany. Her husband  
 has rented an apartment and will  
 have it ready for her when she  
 arrives. She plans to remain  
 there with him until his time is  
 up.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cherry and  
 son, Peter of Saginaw spent the  
 week end visiting Mrs. Cherry's  
 parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin  
 Cherry.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cinciala  
 had as their guests a couple of  
 days last week, the former's par-  
 ents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cinciala  
 Sr. of Bay City. On Wednesday  
 the families enjoyed a trip to  
 Mackinac Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Macaulay  
 and sons, Charles and Robert, of  
 Standish, spent Tuesday of last  
 week visiting the former's par-  
 ents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mac-  
 aulay. They were accompanied  
 by Mrs. Ann Fox, a sister of the  
 former, who also visited her brother  
 and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Allen of  
 Lansing spent the week end visit-  
 ing their parents, the Russell Al-  
 lens and Angus Macaulays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Surine  
 returned home Thursday after  
 spending a week in Saginaw visit-  
 ing among their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barnes of  
 Saginaw spent a couple of days  
 last week in Grayling visiting  
 the latter's mother, Mrs. David  
 White and other relatives.

Mrs. Helena Callahan and son,  
 William, spent Thursday in Grand  
 Rapids visiting Bernard Callahan  
 at Veterans Facilities.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hall of  
 Detroit spent the week end at  
 their home here and visited rela-  
 tives and friends.

Mrs. Earl Kovenen left Thurs-  
 day to spend a couple of weeks in  
 Detroit with Mr. Kovenen who  
 is employed there. She took little  
 Regina King, baby daughter of  
 Mr. and Mrs. Homer King to  
 spend the time with her.

Mrs. Lloyd Baker and daugh-  
 ters, Gail and Wanda, have  
 moved to Mr. Clemens to make  
 their home where Mr. Baker is  
 employed. The latter came to ac-  
 company them.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Neely of  
 Ypsilanti arrived the latter part  
 of the week to be guests of Mr.  
 and Mrs. Carl Doroh at Deer  
 Run, their place on the McMaster  
 Tract.

The Pinocchio Club of which  
 Mrs. Thomas Douglas is a mem-  
 ber met at her home Thursday  
 evening and made plans to take  
 their husbands out for dinner,  
 which will be on July 10th. Prob-  
 ably a reward for doing the baby-  
 sitting job on club nights.

Mrs. Dell Green and Mrs.  
 Charles Burlington of Burt, Mich.,  
 spent a few days last week visit-  
 ing Mr. and Mrs. Holger Hanson.  
 The ladies are sister and sister-  
 in-law of Mrs. Hanson, and they  
 came to visit Mrs. Hanson who  
 has been ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hale and  
 little son Richard have arrived  
 from Norfolk, Va., the former  
 having been discharged from ser-  
 vice in the U. S. Navy. Mr. Hale  
 left Monday for Detroit, where  
 they will reside, but Mrs. Hale  
 and Richard are staying until  
 Sunday when they will join him.  
 They visited Mrs. Hale's parents,  
 Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jensen at  
 Hartwick Pines.

Mrs. George Granger Jr. and  
 little son George III are visit-  
 ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Le-  
 onard Jensen, having come from  
 Big Rapids, Thursday. Mrs.  
 Granger and little son expect to  
 leave New York on July 5th to  
 fly to Amsterdam, Holland,  
 where they will take a train for  
 Mainz, Germany, joining Mr.  
 Granger, who is stationed there  
 with the U. S. Army. They plan  
 to stay at least six months.

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Three of the top women volunteers of the United States Savings Bonds Program gather at the White House beside a beautiful "flower savings bond" to call attention to the 13th anniversary of the Bond Program. Pictured with the First Lady, Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Honorary Chairman of the National Women's Advisory Committee of the Treasury's Savings Bonds Division, are Mrs. George M. Humphrey, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury and member of the committee, and Mrs. Oscar A. Ahlgren, Presi- dent of the General Federation of Women's Clubs and chairman of the committee. Through the National Women's Advisory Committee, the three women leaders are urging American women to purchase Sav- ings Bonds regularly, and to retain maturing Series E bonds for additional interest. The flower savings bond was a gift of the Allied Florist Association to the National Women's Advisory Committee.

## State Democrats Hear Adlai Stevenson

Michigan Democrats and their friends overflowed a large corner of Leroy Lang's 257 acre farm in Genesee County last Thursday, June 17th, where Adlai Stevenson, ex-governor of Illinois was guest for the day of the Michigan Demo- cratic Committee. Several steers, deliciously barbecued were con- sumed, washed down by barrels of iced tea.

Though the sun blazed down, the crowd remained throughout the entire 12 noon to 3 P. M. program and heartily applauded Mr. Stevenson's emphasis that we are "Americans first and Demo- crats second."

Mr. Stevenson was introduced by Governor Williams who in his usual breezy but serious style urged all present to give consid- erable thought to local and na- tional problems. Mr. Blair Moody, a candidate for nomination to the U. S. Senate was also present.

Mr. Stevenson's emphasis on the "Americans first and Demo- crats second" idea at first glance appears a simple idea. But it was a timely remark at this "reg- istration to vote" period, stated Mrs. Violet Ferrell, County Vice Chairman and Secretary of the Crawford County Democratic Committee. This committee re- minds again that July 6th is the last day to register to be eligible to vote at the primary election.

Township clerks will register any citizen who has lived in Michigan for 6 months and in the township for 30 days prior to the primary election date of August 3rd. Any new voter who will have reached a 21st birthday by August 3rd is eligible to register, and to vote in the primary elec- tion but must register on or be- fore July 6th.

The Crawford County Demo- cratic Committee urges you to seek out your township clerk now to put your name on the records as a voting citizen, whatever your party affiliation may be.

## News Of County Men In U. S. Navy

Due to arrive in California from the Far East in early June aboard the heavy cruiser USS Los Angeles is Kendall F. Bind- schatel, seaman, USN, son of Mrs. Mary E. Bindschatel of Frederic, Mich., and husband of the former Miss Nancy L. MacKenzie, of Bay City.

## LOVELLS DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Ladies Home Demonstration Club of Lovells held another meeting and luncheon at the Ansboro Grill which all the ladies enjoyed very much. Then on the front lawn of Mrs. Part Harwoods a Chinese-auction was held. A lot of lovely things just seemed to vanish. A good time was had by all. A tidy sum of money was made for our club.

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## MOSHIER REFRIGERATION

## Michigan Mirror...

The Michigan Legislature will take a new look at chain store taxes in 1955.

A Senate Study Committee ap- pointed by Lieutenant Governor Reid to inquire into alleged in- equities and to bring punitive tax measures into focus will hold hearings in the fall. The commit- tee consists of Senators Carlton Morris of Kalamazoo; Harry F. Hittie, Lansing; Charles T. Pres- cott, Prescott; Clyde Geerlings, Holland; and Robert Haggerty of Detroit.

A similar committee one year ago recommended elimination of certain nuisance taxes.

Among those who will ask to be heard are chain stores through their state organization, the Mich- igan Chain Stores Bureau. Briefs and arguments are in process of preparation to substantiate their claim that the chain store tax is not only punitive, but costly to the state, unsound economically and detrimental to a large segment of the retail business.

"Our industry feels and rightly so that chain store retailing is of sufficient importance to the econ- omy of Michigan that any punitive tax constitutes a backward step and is not in the best public interest," said W. F. Doyle, chain store spokesman.

He pointed to the facts that chains last year did in excess of one billion dollars of retail busi- ness in Michigan, and also return- ed to the state's economy a like amount. "They paid \$64,750,000 in 1951 state, federal and local taxes," said Doyle. "They bought \$712,756,000 worth of merchandise from Michigan manufacturers, processors and farmers and paid out \$81,000,000 to Michigan land- lords. They spent in excess of \$20,000,000 advertising their wares in newspapers and other media."

Chain stores pay the state hand- somely under the new "business receipts tax," currently producing \$33,000,000 in state revenue. The revised corporation franchise tax which yielded \$8,500,000 in 1947 now brings in \$38,000,000 to the general fund.

Many chains are sizable tax- payers by virtue of their inter- state operations. Because of this fact, they believe the time is ripe for the legislature to give serious consideration to elimination of the anti-chain tax. Also affected are 7,736 retail stores and 1,897 chain-store companies in all parts of Michigan.

Under Michigan tax law any re- tailer with more than one outlet is defined as a chain. It is by no means a "big business" tax as evidenced by the fact that 95% of all the companies paying the chain store tax operate less than 10 stores. So the "little fellow" as well as the "giant" is affected.

Among them are 352 automobile retailers, motion picture theatre concessions, cigar stands and tombstone retailers, only to men- tion a few. The tax ranges from \$10 per store for the second unit to \$250 per store for all over 25 in one chain.

Michigan, like the rest of the nation, need not worry about

domination of big business when it learns that in 1929 big corpora- tions got 6.1% of the national in- come and only 3.3% in 1948. Brookings Institution in Wash- ington reports that unincorporated business enjoyed 15.9% of the na- tion's business in 1929 and 17.8% in 1948.

The history of chain store taxa- tion is revealing. The whole sub- ject same to life in the early 30's when many small retailers enter- tained the fear that chains would run them out of business. It didn't happen. Whereas the chains did 24.8 percent of the na- tional retail business in 1935, they did only 20.7 per cent in 1950.

Selling techniques of chain and independents are much alike to- day. Both strive to please the consumer in time and money sav- ing devices.

In the field of food retailing, Michigan chain and independents find much in common. As early as 1940 under the inspiration of the Michigan Press Association the Michigan Retail Food Dealers Association and the Michigan Chain Stores Bureau established high marks in harmonious trade relations.

The three groups formed the Michigan Food Council. An im- mediate achievement was the suc- cessful sponsorship of "Michigan Days" to promote sale of Mich- igan-grown food. The campaign made national history.

Times have changed radically in the relations of chains and in- dependents here in the past 20 years. Little or no bickering any longer exists. Neither seeks punitive action against the other.

Statistics show the small op- erator is more than holding his own. That is one of the reasons the Michigan legislature will take a new look at chain store taxes in 1955.

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## No Alternative...

Ask the average citizen of an inland state what direct interest he has in the American merchant marine, and the chances are he'll say little or none. But he'd be wrong, and here's why.

About one out of 20 of the 19,000,000 people who live in Ohio, Indiana and Michigan depends upon steel for his livelihood. To operate the steel plants, 15 vital raw materials must be brought in from the world's five continents. To take one example, at least 85 per cent of the manganese we need moves by ship—and without manganese there'd been no steel and no jobs for steelworkers.

In those same three inland states, which are part of the industrial heart of America, 500,000 people work in the automobile industry. In a recent year, exports of that industry came to nearly \$1,000,000,000, much of which wound up in the form of wages and salaries. Cut off those exports—and the payrolls would shrink at once.

A similar situation exists in all the states, no matter how far from the seaboards they may be. A merchant fleet is a double-barreled force—it brings our factories needed raw materials, and then makes it possible for those factories to ship finished goods all over the civilized world. Senator Potter of Michigan put the story in a sentence when he said, "There is no alternative to an American-owned and operated merchant marine."

## Political Poison...

Our present steeply progressive federal income tax rates run up to 91 per cent. A new slant on just who really pays this tax was given by economist Henry Hazlitt in Newsweek. He makes the biting criticism that "The workers of this country are being cruelly deceived when they are led to think that the rich are paying the most of the taxes because of... confiscatory rates. Of the \$31,000,000,000 that the personal income

tax yields, only about \$1,000,000,000 comes from the rates above 50 percent. In fact if there were no tax progression at all, and the income tax never rose higher than the twenty per cent rate that now applies only to the net-income-tax brackets below \$2000, the total maximum revenue loss would amount to less than \$5,400,000,000."

Mr. Hazlitt points out that a \$100 increase in the personal income tax exemption would mean four million people would no longer have to pay an income tax. It would "... relieve that many voters of any concern about governmental extravagance, and ... foster in them the illusion that 'the other fellow' is paying the bill." It would mean a \$2,400,000,000 loss in annual revenue and it wouldn't make financial sense—but it would be politically "smart". Although no office holder would dare suggest such a thing the place to cut federal income taxes is in the higher brackets. Mr. Hazlitt believes that if the income tax were cut to a maximum of 50 per cent it "would within a few years ... yield more revenue from net incomes above \$18,000, not less."

Mr. Hazlitt clearly describes the greatest danger of confiscatory tax rates in these words: "The worst harm is that they discourage the most productive people from producing and earning what they would otherwise produce and earn. They deprive the nation of this production and of the new enterprises that would otherwise be launched."

## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE  
FILES OF THE AVANCE OF 23 YEARS AGO

June 25, 1931

Miss Margaret Fehr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fehr was united in marriage to Gail Clise, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Clise on June 20th by Rev. J. W. Greenwood, at the parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Clise were the attendants.

The State Administrative Board has released funds to the Parks and Forest Fire Division of the Conservation Department to install a modern water system at the Hartwick Pines Park.

Miss Helen Elizabeth Wescott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott of Ypsilanti was united in marriage to Ernest Leonard Bridge of Detroit Saturday at the home of the bride's parents. Those attending from Grayling included Mrs. J. K. Hanson, Mrs. Louis Jensen, Holger Hanson, Mrs. Esbern Hanson, Mrs. H. A. Bauman, Mrs. Marius Hanson, Miss Lucille Hanson, Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Mrs. H. W. Wolff.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson became the bride of John Libcke of Gaylord at Danish Lutheran Church Saturday evening. Rev. J. W. Greenwood officiated.

Mrs. Florence Hummel, wife of Alfred Hummel of Maple Forest passed away at Mercy Hospital Sunday afternoon following a month's illness.

Albert Cramer, age 65 years, passed away at Mercy Hospital Friday morning.

The Jess Schoonover family are enjoying their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Dance in the Old Hayloft July 4th. George Skingley's new barn six miles east of Grayling, 30x40 hardwood floor. Clark's orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borchers had their guests, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Barrus of Hillsdale, enjoy a canoe trip down the river, going about 30 miles. They left Saturday and returned Tuesday, camping along the way.

Jerrine and Natalie Peterson are visiting their grandparents, the Wm. Brownells at Lake Leelanau.

"Old Guard," composed of men who have been in the lumber business for 20 years or more, met in Grayling last week for an outing. Golfing and fishing was enjoyed closing with a dinner at Shoppenagons Ins Saturday night.

Ellsworth Barber, age 27 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber of Pere Cheney, passed away at the Gaylord hospital on

Thursday following a three day illness of acute bronchial pneumonia.

Last Sunday, playing golf, Nels Woodson of Salisbury, N. C. parried the course. His partner was Edgar A. Murray.

The Birthday Club met at Con-nine's Grove Thursday with Mrs. Ernest Bissonette as hostess.

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geous figure! I guess I just like people," she said. From where I sit Granny can be excused for her little ruse. She may be in her eighties, but her mind is young—and open. She's the kind of person who's made this town so wonderful. Granny not only likes people—but she respects them and their preferences and opinions. Come to think of it, "liking" and "respecting" mean much the same thing, don't they?

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Granger and Miss Ruby Stephan attended the graduation exercises at M.S.C. Tuesday. George Granger was one of 408 graduates from the division of engineering.

The annual reunion of the Head-Davis families will be held July 5th at the late Hubbard Head home.

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A Fourth of July celebration will be held at the Henry Stephan farm near Stephan's bridge. Everybody cordially invited.

The contract for the erection of the I.O.O.F. building was awarded to J. Frederickson of Gaylord, for the sum of \$6,500.

A terrible accident happened on the M.C. tracks near the warehouse when John Trest of Detroit was run over by a moving train and both legs crushed below the knees. The injured man was carried to Dr. Insley's office, where Mrs. Insley, in the absence of the Doctor, dressed his wounds. He was taken by train to a Bay City hospital.

Married — Fred Aebli, oldest son of Peter Aebli and Miss Eva San Carter, Rv. Fr. J. J. Riess officiating. Anna Blondin and Fred Anger were the attendants.

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Master Newell Underhill of Lovells is out with his donkey and a fine new road cart.

Alfred Hanson had the misfortune to cut the ends off of two of his fingers while tying lath at the mill.

Miss Kathryn Bates attended Commencement at Alma College last week.

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Water level, June 17, 1953 1133.92 ft.

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2:00—Baseball  
4:30—Anything Goes  
4:45—Neighborhood Notes  
5:00—Uncle Glen  
5:30—Cone Autry  
6:00—World News  
6:10—Weatherwise  
6:15—Sports  
6:30—Michigan News  
8:45—Post-Jurist  
7:00—Melody Roundup  
7:30—Play of the Week  
8:00—City Detective  
8:30—Four Star Playhouse  
9:00—Liberace  
9:30—TV Playhouse  
10:00—Science Review  
10:30—Made in the U.S.A.  
11:00—News Nightcap  
11:05—Sign Off

Friday, June 25

3:45—Sign On  
4:00—Homemakers' Time  
4:30—To Be Announced  
4:45—Neighborhood Notes  
5:00—Uncle Glen  
5:30—Hopalong Cassidy  
6:00—World News  
6:10—Weatherwise  
6:15—Sports  
6:30—Michigan News  
6:45—Michigan Conservation  
7:00—Club 13 Varieties  
7:30—Heart of the City  
8:00—Waterfront  
8:30—Files of Jeffery Jones  
9:00—Strange Adventure  
9:30—Your Star Showcase  
10:00—Wrestling  
11:00—Great Fighters in Action  
11:15—News Nightcap  
11:20—Sign Off

Saturday, June 26

1:45—Sign On  
2:00—Baseball

### Saturday Continued

4:00—Anything Goes  
4:30—Junior Theatre  
5:30—Space Soldiers  
6:00—Viewer Views  
6:15—To Be Announced  
6:30—Sat. News Summary  
6:45—Watch the World  
7:00—Inside on the Outside  
7:30—Western Theatre  
8:30—Stars On Parade  
9:00—Mystery Theatre  
10:00—That's My Boy  
10:30—Two In Love  
11:00—Saturday Cinema  
12:00—News Nightcap  
12:05—Sign Off

### Sunday, June 27

3:45—Sign On  
4:00—Double Feature Theatre  
6:30—The Big Picture  
7:00—This Is The Life  
7:30—Jack Benny  
8:00—Toasts of the Town  
9:00—Amos 'N' Andy  
9:30—Break the Bank  
10:00—Dollar A Second  
10:30—WWTV Playhouse  
11:30—News Nightcap  
11:35—Sign Off

### Monday, June 28

3:45—Sign On  
4:00—Homemakers' Time  
4:30—The Pastor  
4:45—Neighborhood Notes  
5:00—Uncle Glen  
5:30—Western Time  
6:00—World News  
6:10—Weatherwise  
6:15—Sports  
6:30—Michigan News  
6:45—Marge and Jeff  
7:00—What Goes On Here  
7:30—Badge 714  
8:00—Godfrey & Friends  
8:30—The Goldbergs  
9:00—Your TV Theatre  
9:30—WWTV Playhouse  
11:00—News Nightcap  
11:05—Sign Off

### Monday Continued

10:30—WWTV Playhouse  
11:30—News Nightcap  
11:35—Sign Off

Tuesday, June 29

1:45—Sign On  
2:00—Baseball  
4:00—Anything Goes  
4:30—What 1 Person Can Do  
4:45—Neighborhood Notes  
5:00—Uncle Glen  
5:30—Annie Oakley  
6:00—World News  
6:10—Weatherwise  
6:15—Sports  
6:30—Michigan News  
6:45—Industry On Parade  
7:00—Wonderland Chapel  
7:30—Dangerous Assignment  
8:00—Paragon Playhouse  
8:30—Red Skelton  
9:00—Inner Sanctum  
9:30—Philip A. Hart  
9:45—To Be Announced  
10:00—Motor City Fights  
11:00—News Nightcap  
11:05—Sign Off

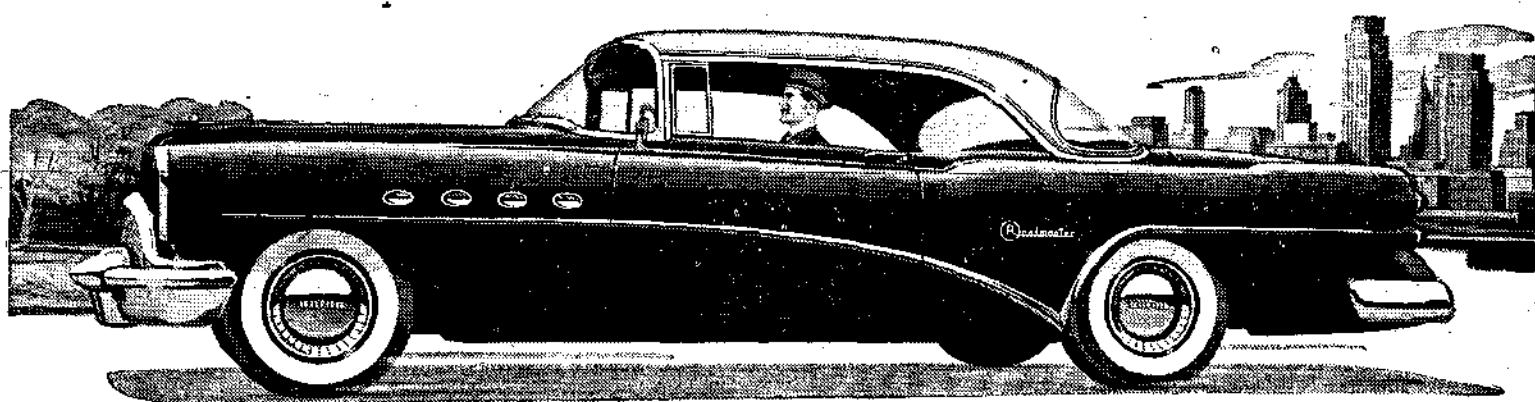
Wednesday, June 30

3:45—Sign On  
4:00—Homemakers' Time  
4:30—Military Mailbag  
4:45—Neighborhood Notes  
5:00—Uncle Glen  
5:30—Western Time  
6:00—World News  
6:10—Weatherwise  
6:15—Sports  
6:30—Michigan News  
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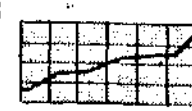
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## BITS O' TALK

Mrs. Harry Hedrick expects to return home tomorrow after spending two weeks in Flint visiting her niece, Miss Eleanor Atkinson and Mrs. Harry Preston.

Members of Spikes and the Kiwanis bowling teams treated their wives to dinner at Breaugh's, Houghton Lake last Thursday evening. Those attending were Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Piper, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Pillsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes, Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacNeven, George Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strong and S. E. Sauley of Grand Rapids, a guest of the Cornells.

Mrs. Howard Derby and Mrs. A. Peterson of Charlotte were overnight guests of the Willard Cornells Saturday. On Sunday a number of friends of Dr. J. F. Cook enjoyed a potluck at the Cornell cottage to celebrate his birthday.

C. J. Elston of Lake St. Helen was a Sunday guest of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Strong and family.

David Downey of Lapeer was a week end guest of Miss Holly Piper at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Piper.

Mrs. Lillian Houghton and son, Robert, have returned to Grayling from Saginaw to make their home. Mrs. Houghton is helping out at the AuSable Service Station. They will be in Grayling for the wedding of Mrs. Cole's grandson, Allen Richardson and Miss Joan Allen held at the Methodist Church at seven o'clock. Among the others who attended the wedding were Mrs. Ernest Richardson (the groom's grandmother) of Roscommon and Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Amman and Mrs. Robert Sievert of Saginaw.

Miss Eunice Schrieber, teacher in Muskegon Heights School, arrived home Saturday to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber.

The Grayling Fire Department was called to the Leo Morency cabins Monday afternoon about 1:30 when an overheated oil stove threatened fire.

Week end guests at the James Forbes home were Mr. and Mrs. Don Ryan of Clawson. Little Miss Cathy Forbes is spending a two weeks vacation in Detroit with her father and other relatives. On Saturday they and other members of the Forbes family attended a Forbes family reunion in Embro, Ontario. They also spent a day in Stratford, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Corliss Stampfly and family of Lansing spent the week end at their cabin on the Manistee River.

Don't forget the special kiddies matinee Saturday at the Rialto Theatre. Six cartoons plus a feature movie.

Mrs. Glen-Day spent several days in Alpena last week visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith.

Spending the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady were Richard, Jerome and Sally Brady of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brady of West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schrieber of Dearborn are spending the week at their home here on Park Street.

Dale Pettengill spent from Thursday until Sunday in Lansing to be with his father, who underwent surgery at Sparrow Hospital. Friends of the family will be pleased to learn that he is coming along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Edward Myers have returned to their summer home on the AuSable River after spending the winter in Coral Gables, Florida.

Mrs. Charles Parks, daughter, (Mury), Mrs. Larry Jackson and son, Fred, of Mt. Pleasant and Fred's fiancée, Miss Maureen Eagle of Bay City are spending the summer at the Park cabin down river, the young people to work at the Drive-In. Mr. Parks and Mr. Jackson join the group for week ends. The latter is attending summer school at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Sunday guests at the E. R. Burns home were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burns and family of Traverse City. Ens. Clare Burns left for duty in Athens, Ga., Thursday after enjoying a leave with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Babbitt of Kalamazoo spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt. The Babbitt children, Connie and Cathy are spending two weeks with their grandparents.

The Wesley LaGrow family drove to Big Rapids last Thursday and their daughter, Miss Cora Ann accompanied them home after completing her Freshman year at Ferris Institute. On Monday Cora Ann left for Interlocken to spend the camp season.

Dale Pettengill and Tom Lamm drove to East Lansing Thursday and Jim Burich accompanied them home after completing his Freshman year at M. S. C.

Mrs. Charles Long and daughter, Miss Caroline left for Mt. Sterling, Ill., Friday, called there by the death of her brother, Horace Cady, age 63. Services were held for Mr. Cady on Monday.

Miss Anna Nielsen and Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeBoer of Grand Rapids spent the week end visiting the young's sisters, Margrethe and Olga Nielsen.

Mr. A. J. Nelson and daughters, Marjorie and Barbara, left Sunday for Spokane, Washington, where they will attend the wedding of Miss Caroline Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Onderdonk and sons, Bobby and Donald, and their niece, Beverly Ann Roberts, all of Detroit spent a beautiful ten days with Mrs. Onderdonk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fegor of Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hildebrand and Kenneth and Kathryn of East Lansing spent the week end at their Lake Margrethe cottage. Kathryn had as her house guests the Misses Marilyn Maustellar, Sandra Skinner, Jean Bower and Nancy Hay.

Miss Charlene Lenkowski is home from Marywood Academy for the summer vacation visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lenkowski.

Mrs. Lena Moffitt of Detroit is a house guest of Mrs. William Strope for the summer. Her daughter, Bernadine and son, William arrived Saturday to spend a few days with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Flower arrived home Sunday evening from a trip to Wisconsin.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Eugene Hayes entertained for the afternoon. Mrs. Signe Handolph, Mrs. Jack Wilkins and Mrs. Stanley Flower.

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spent Sunday here with his parents.

Rev. R. C. Puffer will be the speaker at a father and son banquet in Lefroy Saturday evening. Lefroy is a former parish of Rev. Puffer.

Nels Peter Olson left Sunday to spend two weeks at Camp Daggett on Walloon Lake. Laurianne Olson leaves Thursday by plane from Traverse City for New York City to spend six weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Winfield Challenger.

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Week end guests at the Robert Jacksons were M/Sgt. Ted E. Jackson and family who have just returned from England where he had served three years in the air force. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Yack and John Linskey of Midland and Mr. Jackson's sister, Mrs. Mary Hubbard of Addison, N. Y. Mrs. Jackson's sister, Ellen Ferguson and John Daggett of Oxford called also on Friday night. The Jacksons and relatives all enjoyed a picnic near McManis bridge at Beaver Bend Lodge on Saturday. Ted Jackson is Robert Jackson's nephew.

James Gibbons returned to Ann Arbor Saturday for his Senior year in medicine at the U. of M. after spending two weeks here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Gibbons.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Peterson of Lansing announce the arrival of Burton Stanley David Peterson, II, on June 12th. He weighed nine pounds at birth. Mrs. Bertha Peterson is the proud grandmother.

Mrs. Hazel McMahon and son Bill of Newberry stopped here Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. M. Lewis expecting to stay over night en route home from Detroit. Bill underwent an emergency appendectomy at Grayling Mercy Hospital on Monday.

Johannes Rasmussen and Mrs. Marie Kristoffersen plan to leave Grayling on the midnight train on Monday, June 28th, for Detroit where they will board a Pan American plane on Tuesday the 29th for Copenhagen, Denmark. They plan to visit relatives and friends in Denmark for three months and will return home the first part of October.

Mrs. Lorne Douglas and Mrs. Esbern Olson and granddaughter Laurianne spent Tuesday in Bay City visiting their sister, Miss Margaret Failing to help her celebrate her birthday.

Rev. R. C. Puffer left Tuesday for a three day fishing trip to Escanaba with Dr. Glen Frye of Detroit and Dr. Maurice Keane of Grand Rapids.

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## Maple Forest

Mrs. Dolin Weaver was a patient at Mercy Hospital a couple of days this week, returning to her home on Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Plagens and daughters, Opal, Francis and Barbara, also Kathleen Anderson spent the week end in Detroit.

Billy Barclay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Babbitt was hurt on Thursday afternoon while riding a horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Parsons and family returned to their home in Royal Oak on Thursday, after having spent the past two weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Parsons and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Espar Barber at Houghton Lake on Tuesday night.

Remember the T. N. T. Club is sponsoring a dance on Saturday, July 10th, at the Town Hall with

music by the "Rhythm King"

Mrs. Hattie Woodburn daughter, Grace, spent a few days at their home here, packing household furnishings, which moved to their new home in Grand Rapids on Saturday.

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Home Phone 2831

Dr. Robert Hornbeck  
Home Phone 5271



BEWARE HOT SUN  
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In an over-anxious way, many people try to make up for the long, cold winter by giving themselves too much exposure to the sun. Instead of a good tan, which can be gotten easily with gradual exposure, they end up with a bad burn. Recently scientists in Holland discovered that two different layers of skin burn under two different wave lengths of invisible ultra-violet rays. Generally, however, blondes burn faster than brunettes, children more quickly than adults and dry-skinned persons more easily than people with oily skin.

The average brunette can stand about two 15-to-20 minute stretches of strong sunlight the first day, double that the second day and gradual increases thereafter. Blondes and redheads should cut that schedule in half. Once tanned, you can stay out in the sun longer because one layer of skin thickens and the pigment develops, resulting in the "tan" color.

Don't be fooled on an overcast day, for clouds do not necessarily remove ultra-violet rays, and reflections from sand and water produce greater exposure.

All doctors agree that it's a good idea to use protective clothing and creams, lotions or oils. Many preparations contain compounds that filter out most of the ultra-violet rays and permit gradual tanning at the same time.

Vacation athletes who exercise under the hot sun may suffer sudden-attack of heat exhaustion or the more serious sunstroke. To help prevent both conditions, avoid over-exertion and long exposure under the sun's rays. It is also necessary to replace the salt that the body loses in perspiration and to wear light, loose, protective clothing.

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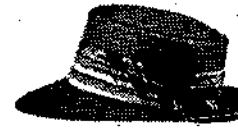
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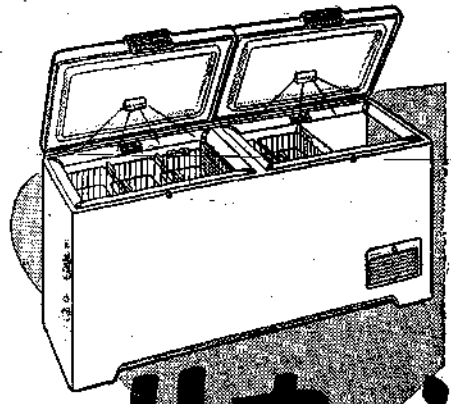


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AD/1 and Mrs. Ervin Snively and children, Sandra, Tom, Jerry and Judy arrived Thursday from Norfolk, Va., and are visiting Mrs. Snively's mother, Mrs. Calvin Church and family. They expect to be here about a month. Mr. Snively is stationed at Norfolk.

A few friends dropped in at the Lutheran parsonage Wednesday evening of last week to extend birthday greetings to the Rev. John Eisselmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goss of Hartland, Mich., stopped and visited the former's brother, Oscar Goss and family, Tuesday of last week en route to Paradise in the Upper Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Rickard of Ann Arbor and Phoenix, Ariz., have arrived to spend the summer at their cottage at the Danish Landing, Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Ray Clement entered St. Joseph Hospital, Ann Arbor Monday to undergo surgery.

Little Johnny Alef was 1 year old on June 15th, and the event was celebrated at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Moore at Lake Margrethe, when they entertained a few friends. Johnny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Alef.

Capt. and Mrs. Harold Clingensmith of Orleans have arrived to spend the summer at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. George Hendershot and Mrs. Netta Hulet of Grand Rapids spent the week end in Grayling, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thane Hendershot. They came to help little Nancy Hendershot celebrate her sixth birthday. A few little friends were entertained in the garden in the afternoon in her honor when birthday cake and ice cream were served. Other relatives were also present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alef spent Sunday and Monday in Grosse Pointe where on Monday they attended the wedding of his sister, Joyce, to Richard Martin Bauboff. The ceremony was solemnized at 10 o'clock in the morning at St. Paul Church, Grosse Pointe Farms.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson and daughter Miss Kay left on Thursday to attend their son, Jack's wedding which took place Friday in Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Richardson and Mary continued on to California to visit her cousin, Mrs. W. K. McIntyre in Los Angeles. They also plan to spend some time in San Francisco, Catalina and the Grand Canyon, expecting to be gone several weeks.

Col. and Mrs. R. C. Vandercok of East Lansing have arrived at their lodge on the AuSable River to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tolleson and daughter Linda Kay returned Tuesday of last week after spending two weeks in Dallas and Toga, Texas, visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tolleson and his brother Eugene Tolleson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Collins of Palm Springs, Calif., are visiting the Robert Fegor and family of Grayling for two weeks. The Collins are going to Toronto, Ont. to visit their son, John, upon their departure from Grayling.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thane Hendershot were the former's cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hendershot and friends Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wesley of Grand Rapids.

A/3c Richard Atkinson arrived home Tuesday of last week from Orlando, Fla., to spend a 30 day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Atkinson of Karen Woods. When leaves Grayling he is to report on July 16th to an air base in California and will be leaving there for Anchorage, Alaska, expecting to be gone a couple of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen and family have left for Manistique to spend the summer. The former is attending summer school at Marquette Northern. Mr. Allen was an overnight guest Monday of last week of the "Whiteley" Madsons.

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Bert Day of Willis, Mich., is visiting his grandfather, Azro Day expecting to be here for a while.

Mrs. Vernon Gardiner and children of Dearborn are spending the week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley. Mr. Gardiner accompanied them and spent the week end.

Mrs. Elmina Heath returned Friday from Big Rapids, where she had taken a work shop course at Ferris Institute. Mrs. Heath is teacher of the Beaver Creek school.

Mrs. Thomas Robertson left Saturday for Presque Isle, Maine, to visit her brothers and families, who reside there. She plans to be gone about 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker of Marine City, who are spending some time here have sold the Mrs. Jesse Billings property on Park Street to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hildebrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith and children returned the first of the week after a several days visit with relatives in Escanaba.

Mrs. Thomas Haugh and Mrs. Ernest Larson were in Saginaw, Wednesday of last week on business.

Mrs. Carl Larson, Mrs. D. San-Cutler, Mrs. Willard Harwood and Clarence VanAmburg were in Traverse City, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stephan, daughter Kay and son, Michael of Cadillac are spending about three weeks at the Stephan place on the AuSable.

Mr. and Mrs. George Granger of Big Rapids were here over the week end to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Celia Granger at Mercy Hospital. Also Mr. and Mrs. Howard Granger of Kalamazoo have been over to visit her.

Mrs. Mose Woods accompanied her son, Rollo, back to Detroit after he had spent a few days here, and is visiting among her children.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams were in Saginaw, Wednesday of last week on business.

Mrs. Lawrence Balch and little son Ernie left Tuesday of last week to spend a couple of weeks visiting her sisters Mrs. Joseph Pentrack and Mrs. Charles Williams and families in Detroit.

Robert Rasmussen left Wednesday to report to Ellsworth Air Force Base in South Dakota after spending a furlough visiting Mrs. Rasmussen and their little son, David, and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rasmussen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herbison of Bay City were in Grayling recently calling on friends.

Mrs. Ethelyn Finley of Bay City came Friday to spend the summer with Mrs. Carl Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Kitchen returned to Grayling from Bay City Thursday to again take up their residence here. They are living in the Ed Cooper home on Elm Street until their own home is vacated.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wiseman of Midland were recent guests at the Jens Ziebell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Samsel and family of Midland spent the week end of June 12th at the David Montour home.

Mrs. Norman Moyer Sr. and children of Blue Lake visited at the Charles Tinker home Wednesday of last week.

Ten children—girls and boys—enjoyed the 4-H Club annual camp that was held at Camp Hiawent-He, on Torch Lake from Monday to Wednesday last week. The children were taken by bus, leaving at 10 o'clock Monday morning and returning home Wednesday about 10:00 o'clock. There were 163 children in all in camp at the same time, and those from Grayling included Karen San-Cartier, Karen Macaulay, Constance Owens, Bonnie Meaker, Tom Brooks, Patty McNeil, Tom Denno, Roger Hatfield, Allen Johnson and Jerry Larson. The children report a fine outing.

The members of the AuSable River Inn bowling team entertained their wives with a boat trip down the AuSable River on Sunday, June 13th, and a steak dinner was cooked and enjoyed on the bank of the river. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd San Cartier, Mr. and Mrs. William Wyss and Mr. and Mrs. James Wakeley made the trip and they were joined for the dinner by their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown.

Mrs. Clair Melroy Jr. and Mrs. Ole Wium were in Petoskey on business Thursday.

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In the top row of this picture in a series of pictures of Grayling and Crawford County kiddies is from left to right, Joy, 19-month-old daughter of the John Rasmussens; Jan, 4½ and Jon, 18 months, children of the Mike Mathewsons. The bottom row from left to right are: David, 2 months, son of the David Steeles of Frederic; Barbara Joe, 18-month-old daughter of the Bernard Hinkles of Frederic and Michael, two-year-old son of the John Kuchareks.

**Pfc. Elwyn Kruse  
 Completes Army Course**  
 FORT JACKSON, C. C.—Private First Class Elwyn G. Kruse, husband of Mrs. Jeanine Kruse, of Grayling, Michigan, recently completed the Basic Army Administration course conducted by the 49th Airborne Engineer Battalion of the 101st Airborne Division's Specialist Training Regiment at Fort Jackson, S. C.

During the eight-weeks course he made an intensive study of forms and procedures used at company level throughout the Army and was trained to attain a typing speed of 45 or more words per minute. Graduation from this school qualifies a soldier to serve in an administrative capacity, the first step toward higher enlisted ratings in the Army.

**Our Weather**  
 (Courtesy Fish Hatchery)  
 (Courtesy, Geo. Schaible)

June	High	Low
8	86	53
9	85	52
10	84	54
11	87	43
12	84	44
13	90	48
14	95	50
June	Rain	8 thru 14 — none

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**Frederic News**

Mr. and Mrs. James Payne and son James of Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stone and daughter Deborah of Freeland spent the week end with Mrs. Payne's parents, Walter Harrison and wife, in several days with a good and fine harvest.

Mrs. Charles Fort spent Thursday with Mrs. Charles Martin. Mrs. Fort is in the hospital.

John Martin of Freeland was here over the week end with his parents, the Charles Martins.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Savary and children of Michigan spent the week end with their daughter, the Raymond Weavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunsley and children of Waterloo were visiting here.

Mrs. Belle Nichols and son, Russell Nichols and family of Bay City visited relatives at Freeland.

The Ray Ballings of Saginaw were here visiting Sunday parents, the A. D. Lange.

Mrs. Grace Higgins called on Mrs. Harry Harris Monday, and being called here by the illness of her brother-in-law, Harry Higgins.

Miss Delores Mayer of Detroit is spending two weeks with her parents, the Arthur Mayer Delores is driving a new 1954 Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mason spent the week end in Big Beaver. Mrs. Mason is in the hospital.

Mrs. George Burdette returned from her trip Monday and a fine week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sano were up from Grayling and had supper with the Harry Harris Thursday night.

Glenn and Roy Newberry were home from Independence, Mo.

See also our Grand Anniversary week, when we had a special water truck following with the balloons that guaranteed for all Smoak and Son, Washington St. and St. Grayling.

Carl, Lodge returned from their lake Saturday afternoon where the extended trip camp in three days. She reported a fine week's time.

Mrs. Evelyn Ellis and daughter, the Betty, were guests at the George Lodge for supper Saturday night.

Mrs. John Turner and Mrs. Carl Olson called at the Barber home Wednesday. Mr. Barber is not so well at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cooper of

That were in town this week calling on old friends. He with his parents who live here.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hunt of Detroit spent the week end at their home here.

C. S. Barber enjoyed his Father's Day dinner at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, George Lodge and family.

**Frederic Scout News**

Saturday, June 19th at 10:30 a.m. we left for Camp Noyah, arriving there at 1 p.m. We all stayed in one cabin. We had fine weather all week except for the day we took our trip. We were back Sunday.

Our food was very good and I think we each ate more than we do at home.

Our group had the dinner table set up. Our behavior was very good.

All of the Frederic group who went to camp were promoted from Tenderfoot to Second Class but most of them have to learn the Morse code and swimming to be promoted to First Class.

After a very enjoyable week at camp we left for home Saturday, June 21st at 10 a.m. Arriving there at 3:30 p.m. it was a week of an eventful trip to be remembered as such.

We want to thank Mr. Turner, Mr. Adams, Mr. Pratt and Mr. Nichols for our opportunities to go to camp.

Steve Clark — reporter

**Card Tournament**  
**Grayling Golf Club**

There were two tables of bridge in play and one of bridge in the card tournament at the golf club Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Wanda O'Brien had high score at bridge and Les Welch low score at bridge. The previous Tuesday saw Mrs. Ray O'Brien with high bridge score and Don J. O'Brien low at bridge.

The next play will be held next Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Members of Tuesday All are urged to attend.

**Atlas Plywood Employees**  
**Hold LWA-C.I.O. Meeting**

There was a regular business meeting of the Atlas Plywood employees of Tuesday night, June 22nd at the Legion Hall. As usual there was a report of the local union and a report of the national union. Those attending were: President, Francis J. Brown; vice president, Clara Marshall; and forward, Walter Bales and negotiating committee, Charles Turner, Neil Pagan and Francis Brown. There was a discussion at this time as to the wages to be paid the workers on July 1st at wages.

At our last meeting Neil Pagan was nominated as Sec. Gen. to replace Donna Bales's resignation.

Dorothy Decker, reporter

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**Bits O' Talk**

Bill Kinkor is spending the summer at his home here after completing his school year at Central Michigan College. He and Mrs. Kinkor have at their place this week, Miss Clara Vander Marck of Lansing who is also here to visit George Schmale Jr.

Capt. Harold O'Connell and George Schmale Jr. were in Kalamazoo last Tuesday to business.

Mrs. Louis F. Hayes and son, who returned home Sunday after spending a week in Ottawa, Canada and also stopping in Detroit to see her mother, Mrs. Charles Williams. Mrs. Williams visited the Detroit Memorial Hospital on Sunday. Mrs. Hayes said Mrs. Turner, Spaulding of Ottawa accompanied her home to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodward Smith and sons of Mr. Pleasant spent the week end at their cabin on the AuSable River.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vail and son, who are Mr. and Mrs. Vail, were in Freeland and Freeland on Monday and Tuesday. They were in Freeland to see the Vail family. Because of the rain they were unable to fish so went sight seeing instead. They visited

at Tahquamenon Falls. Corley is spending two weeks at the State Fair.

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**FREDERIC 4-H NEWS**

Our seven members met at Carol Lodge's home on June 19th. We gained a new member this meeting. Our next meeting will be held at Carol's home on July 10th at 2:00. All dues we paid. Carol Mayer, Reporter.

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**Registration Notice**  
**For General Primary Election**  
**Tuesday, August 3, 1954**

To the Qualified Electors of the Townships and the City of Grayling, Crawford County, State of Michigan

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the Michigan Election Law the undersigned township and city clerks will on any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township or city of the township or city in which said voter may reside for such registration. Provided, however, that the clerk of said township or city can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or primary election and the day of such election.

The last day of General Registration does not apply to persons who voted under the Absent Voters Law.

Notice is hereby given that the clerks of the said townships and city will be at the usual place for registration.

**Tuesday, July 6th, 1954**

THE LAST DAY

from 8:00 o'clock A. M. until 8:00 o'clock P. M. on each day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering each of the qualified electors in the said townships and city as shall properly apply therefore.

The name of no person except an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the Constitution to remain such residents to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

Dated June 21, 1954:

DAN C. BABBITT, Clerk, also Thursday, July 1st, Grayling, Township

EUGENE KAISER, Clerk, Frederic, Township

MARTHA J. PETERSON, Clerk, Maple Forest Township

GEORGE WOLFE, Clerk, Beaver Creek Township

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